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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Steven T. FINK

SERIAL NO: 10/764,456

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EXAMINER: XU, L.

FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED FASTENING HARDWARE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to August 25, 2006 for

- checkboxes for filing a response to the Official Action, Notice of Allowability, Formal Drawings, Notice to File Missing Parts, Notice of Appeal, and Appeal Brief. A checked box for 'Request for Continued Examination' is also present.

The required fee of \$120.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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